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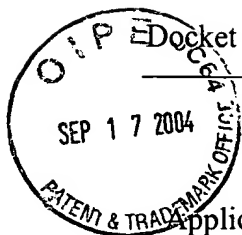
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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

Applicants enclose a form PTO-1449 that lists one (1) PCT publication and also lists an Office Action in Applicants' corresponding Japanese Application No. 2001-219714. Applicants are enclosing a copy of the PCT publication and a copy of the Japanese office action.

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